

**IN THE UNITED STATES OF PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| Applicants      | : | Wojciechowski, et al.  |
| Application No. | : | 10/501,366   |
| Filed           | : | March 1, 2005  |
| Title           | : | SELF-PIERCING FEMALE FASTENER, METHOD OF<br>FORMING A SEALED FEMALE FASTENER<br>AND PANEL ASSEMBLY |
| Examiner        | : | Christopher M. Koehler   |
| Group Art Unit  | : | 3726   |
| Docket No.      | : | 060152.01074   |

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**REQUEST FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed June 19, 2007, Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time. The Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit in the amount of \$120.00 as required for the filing of this Response. Also, if there are any additional fees due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account for those additional fees or credit the account for any overpayments regarding this Response.

Respectfully submitted,

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